



Argo Yard Truck Roadway Memorandum of Understanding

# **Project Location**



#### The Project

### Element I: One lane, southbound, dedicated truck roadway Element II: Minor improvements for enhanced roadway delineations Element III: Automated gate System at UP Argo Yard



### Project Benefits - Better Freight Mobility!

- Safer route for harbor truckers
- Improved safety for general purpose traffic
- Reduced greenhouse gas emissions and diesel particulates resulting from less truck idling
- A faster dray route combined with faster gate processing = opportunity for harbor truckers to increase # of drays during a normal shift
  - More drays = more revenue for harbor truckers

## **Port Responsibilities**

• Project Lead for Elements I and II

\$2,200,000 contribution for Elements I and II

Maintenance responsibilities associated with Element I roadway

Retention of operational liability for use of Element I roadway

## Port Funding

- \$2,200,000 for design, permitting and construction of Elements I and II.
  - From Port's Tax Levy
- Estimated annual maintenance costs = \$5,000 / year
  Seaport Operating Expense